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Proposed Transfer of ANCAPELIN/1 to Athens

REF: SOAA-13317, 19 August 1958

ACTION REQUEST: None; for your information.

1. The following are replies to the queries posed in the reference:

A. The LOUPTROVE alias appears since Project AMBATH at Munich Base is used in support of GE operations. ANCAPELIN/1, the principal and only agent in Project AMBATH, is utilized purely as a GE informant. More details regarding ANCAPELIN/1's biography and operational background are found in Attachments A and B which accompany this dispatch.

B. If ANCAPELIN/1 moves to Athens,

- 1) Athens would be expected to handle him.
- 2) The Greek Intelligence Service should not be in touch with him.
- 3) ANCAPELIN/1 would terminate his UPWARD relationship. However, there can be no guarantee that UPWARD would not resume relationship with ANCAPELIN/1 once he grounded himself in Athens. Should UPWARD recontact him, and, unless Headquarters advises to the contrary, Athens probably would instruct ANCAPELIN/1 to avoid contacts with UPWARD in Greece.
- 4) ANCAPELIN/1 probably would be able to make his own cover and financial arrangements, with KUBARK guidance if necessary (more comments follow below).

C. The following are some of ANCAPELIN/1's Greek Orthodox church contacts derived primarily from ANCAPELIN/1's association with the Greek Orthodox Church, Salvator Plaza, Munich, where he participates on an irregular basis in Divine Liturgical services and where he substitutes in administrative affairs in the absence of the leadership:

- 1) Archbishop ATHANASIOS, Junior, Bishop of the Patriarchate

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A. He will obtain letters of reference from the above-listed persons to obtain information in Athens, ultimately and possibly in other cities in Athens.

2. Most of the above mentioned individuals appeared to have been in the event he wanted to move to Greece for any extended period of time. Individuals would appear in the form of visa requirements, (in a number of cases, student visa, etc.), further studies in the field of possibly even a citizenship in the event he intended to remain for a long period in Greece. Other persons whose names are listed cannot be said to have been in Athens, but others, with this in mind, ANASTASIS, after the following general plan:

- 1) Mr. (Mrs) KIRKOR, Greek Ambassador at Bonn, Germany.
 - 2) Mr. Stefan KIRKOR, lives on KIRKOR Street, Athens; father and a large tobacco business.
 - 3) Mr. Angelos KIRKOR, now in the United States (exact address unknown).
- B. The following are ANASTASIS, a close governmental connection, nationality of a social nature, obtained through his association with the Greek Embassy in Athens.

- 1) George KIRKOR, Ambassador of the Greek Embassy in West Berlin.
- 2) Mr. (Mrs) KIRKOR, Ambassador of the Greek Embassy in West Berlin.
- 3) Mr. (Mrs) KIRKOR, Ambassador of the Greek Embassy in West Berlin.
- 4) Mr. (Mrs) KIRKOR, Ambassador of the Greek Embassy in West Berlin.
- 5) Mr. (Mrs) KIRKOR, Ambassador of the Greek Embassy in West Berlin.
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2. He would travel to Greece under the pretext of studying the new Greek language, extending into advanced theological studies or becoming active in the Greek Orthodox church community.

3. Having arrived in Athens, with the assistance of these personalities and artists of reputation, he would obtain a residence permit, participate at the Polytechnic, locate living quarters and eventually find employment with a church.

4. After having lived in Greece for a period, during which his language ability will have improved (he has a working knowledge of almost all Greek and some few French), he would begin attempts to obtain permanent residence in Greece and formulate the changes necessary to transfer residence from the Federal Republic. He believes he can obtain a Greek passport for ecclesiastical foreigners.

5. Planned: During at least the first year of his residence in Greece, ANASTASIAKIS/1 feels he will have to be subsidized unless he happens to obtain employment sooner than expected. Arrangements can be made for him to have enough capital on hand to sustain himself during his unemployment period or to have funds forwarded to him periodically from West Germany or elsewhere. His immediate thought is that he may make arrangements through KIKOS (a Hellenic exile student group which has branches scattered throughout the Western Hemisphere) or NYU (New York Free University) in Munich.

6. Means: A legend which ANASTASIAKIS/1 concocted, using the above factors as support or back-stopping, would read that he came to Greece to study the Greek language and enter advanced theological studies. To support this, he would have letters of reference from Greek citizens who appear to have been convinced that he went to Greece only for such reasons. After approximately a year, during which he will have had an opportunity to survey the situation, he would be ready to step into an employment status which would lead itself to his hands hands with KIKOS. (He points out that his name is well known in the Greek of the Greek Orthodox Church and with the Greek Ministry of Foreign Affairs which in effect governs the Greek Orthodox Church in Munich and for which he has signed his name on numerous financial statements and letters as assistant to the Greek ambassador in Munich.)

7. Methods of Initial Progress: ANASTASIAKIS/1 feels he will not be able to throw his full weight into his initial role in Greece until he has obtained a better working knowledge of the Greek language. Therefore, language study will be his first step (once given the word, he will resume Greek language studies in Munich). During this period, he will be able to establish his contacts and study the situation. Later, if necessary, he could participate at Athens University.

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